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Space and Naval Warfare Systems Center Awards Contract

CHARLESTON, S.C. — Veridian Systems Division Inc., Arlington, VA, is being awarded a \$3,242,881 Indefinite Quantity, Indefinite Delivery, Cost-Plus-Fixed Fee type contract (N65236-01-D-5846) for engineering services on an on-call basis to conduct analysis of Fixed Extremely Low Frequency/Very Low Frequency/Low Frequency transmitter and antenna system problems created by design deficiencies, equipment obsolescence, or technological changes which have resulted in degraded reliability or in less than optimum performance. This contract will provide the primary broadcast communications link for the command and control of SSBN and SSN submarines. The contract includes four, one-year option periods, which if exercised, would bring the cumulative value of this contract to \$17,109,138. Work will be performed in Poway, CA and is expected to be completed by September 2002. Contract funds will not expire at the end of the current fiscal year. This contract was competitively procured via the SPAWAR E-commerce web site with one offer received. The SPAWARSCEN Charleston is the contracting activity (N65236-01-D-5846).

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